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SUBJECT: REACTION TO PANMUNJOM INCIDENT

REF: STATE 211862

LOCAL REACTION WAS MUTED. PRESS REPORTING WAS
MINIMAL AND FOR THE MOST PART BURIED IN INSIDE
PAGES. ONLY EDITORIAL COMMENT, IN GOVT.
CONTROLLED ENGLISH LANGUAGE DAILY, WHILE NOTING
THAT THERE WERE TWO VERSIONS OF THE INCIDENT,
HEWED TO OFFICIAL GON LINE THAT, WHATEVER THE
FACTS OF THE MATTER WERE, THE ONLY LONG-RANGE
SOLUTION TO THE PROBLEM IS WITHDRAWAL OF OUTSIDE
FORCES,
LEAVING IT TO THE NORTH & SOUTH TO SORT
OUT THEIR DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THEMSELVES. REACTION
OF NEPALESE IN PRIVATE WAS ALSO MINIMAL. THE VERY
FEW COMMENTS WE HAVE HEARD TEND TO IMPLY ACCEPTANCE
OF THE U.S. VERSION, BUT A LACK OF REAL INTEREST IN
THE AFFAIR.
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